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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111(a)

In response to the Official Action dated August 31, 2009, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated herein. Applicants request a three-month extension of time to February 28, 2010. As February 28, 2010 falls on a Sunday, the present Response is timely filed by March 1, 2010 (37 C.F.R. §1.7(a)).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected on the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.